

MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

March 20, 2018 10:30 a.m. Room 521 House Office Building, Lansing, Michigan

Representative Cole, Chair, called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives Cole, Webber, Lucido, Maturen, Roberts, Howell, Alexander, Calley, Noble, Chirkun, Love, Clemente, Sabo, Yancey.

Representative Webber made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting held on March 13, 2018. No objections being offered, the minutes were accepted as presented.

The Chair laid the following bill before the Committee.

HB 4828 (Greig) Highways; name; portion of I-696; designate as the "Trooper Vicki Moreau DeVries Memorial Highway".

Sgt. Tim Fitzgerald, representing the Michigan State Police, spoke in support of the bill and introduced Dave DeVries, who addressed the Committee regarding Trooper Vicki Moreau DeVries.

Representative Clemente made a motion to report HB 4828 with recommendation.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Cole, Webber, Lucido, Maturen, Roberts, Howell, Alexander, Calley, Noble, Chirkun, Love, Clemente, Sabo, Yancey. (14/14)

Nays: None. (0/14)

Pass: None. (0/14) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Capt. Monica Yesh, representing the Michigan State Police, submitted a card in support of HB 4828.

Troy Hagon, representing the Michigan Department of Transportation, submitted a card indicating no position on HB 4828.

Laurie Isley, representing the Michigan Soybean Promotion Committee, introduced Mike Steenhoek of the Soy Transportation Committee, who discussed the Bridge Load Testing Initiative in Rural Michigan and in Midland County, Michigan.

Larry Lloyd, representing GoRail, reviewed freight rail and moving the Economy, Mitigating Pollution and Keeping Communities Safe.

There being no additional business before the Committee, Chair Cole declared the Committee adjourned, the time being 11:15 a.m.

Representative Triston Cole, Chair

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